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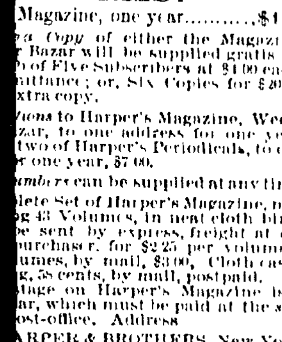
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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

IMPORTANT POLITICAL HISTORY.

The Bargain of Horatio Seymore and Horace Greeley.

From the Rochester, N. Y., Democrat and Chronicle.

No words are necessary to show tha the ambition of Horace Greeley is great beyond the restraining influences of principle and honor. His present position is proof conclusive of the fact. He is the candidate of a party which he opposed all his life, and he is in open opposition, directly and indirectly, to every principle he has espoused. He is also the candidate of men, claiming to be republicans, who are struggling to ruin the republican party because they cannot rule it. Thus far the people are well informed. How long Mr. Greeley has been an enemy to the party to which he professed to belong, is another question. How long he has acted in secret to accomplish his own elevation at the expense of everything else, is a matter of considerable interest. That he did act in secret to this end, is now very well known; and that his nomination at Cincinnati was not the accident it appeared, but the result of a deep laid scheme has been suspected. Who are the schemers? What was the spot, and where did it begin? We copy this bit of very important and interesting political history from the Binghamton *Republican*, merely remarking that it bears the impress of truth:

We have come in posession of some facts which account in part, if not wholly, for the remarkable and hitherto inexplicable action of the democratic leaders, in endeavoring to force Horace upon their party as its candidate for the presidency. In October of last year, months before the "liberal" republican convention of Missouri began the Cincinnati movement, Mr. Greeley was in conference with a democrat in this State whom we know, on the subject of the presidency; that democrat was hunting for a compromise or a disatisfied republican candidate whom the leaders of his party would endorse; and Mr. Greeley agreed to accept, if nominated. Mr. Greeley wrote a letter to this democrat in reply to one; and this led to conference, at Mr. Greeley's invitation; at which meeting Mr. Greeley agreed to become a candidate if the nomination was tendered him. We have seen Mr. Greeley's letter to which we refered, in in his own well-known hand-writing.

The Cincinnati convention of so-called republicans was then hardly thought of; but we have proof that we deem conclusive of the fact that democratic collusion with some of the delegates of that convention, particularly from this State, led directly to Mr. Greeley's nomination. A prominent democrat of Central New York wrote to a prominent man, hitherto a republican, one of Mr. Greeley's chief friends and advisers, in New York city, only a few days before the Cincinnati convention met, on the subject of the proposed candidacy. The democrat was in favor of Greeley's nomination; and believed that the democratic party of the country could be brought to his support in certain contingencies. The reply to a letter was a reply which pleased and gratified him; it crowned the negotiation; and the result, an understanding of what the democrats were prepared to undertake, was, as we have said, made known to the prominent men in the New York delegation at Cincinnati. The name of the leading democrat we have mentioned is Horatio Seymour; and of the Republican friend of Greeley, Waldo Hutchins. That the negotiation was carried on, we have seen the sufficient and undeniable proof. We have been shown a letter from one of the last named correspondence. Horace Greeley, Waldo Hutchins and Horatio Seymour are the "high contracting parties" to the greatest scandal of American politics. We state the fact of the correspondence on our proper responsibility; and if any one of the persons we have named denies, we will give dates and details, and procure testimony, that they will not be in position to dispute. The statements not contained in the two letters, one of Mr. Greeley, which, by the way, set aside Chase for Democratic use as "broken down"—and the other, signed by one of the three mentioned, are given upon perfectly good authority. There is no longer reason to doubt that there has been a perfect understanding between Greeley and the Democrats for at least eight months past. It was after October last the tone of the *Tribune* became decidedly hostile to the Republican party. It was before the beginning of the year that the change was generally conceded. Readers of that party, who have preserved files of it, will see that between October, 1871, and May, 1872, the *Tribune* was practically a Democratic journal, as it is to day.

Now let Mr. Greeley, or anybody for him; or Mr. Hutchins, or Mr. Seymour, come forward. People generally have believed Mr. Greeley's nomination the result of a secret bargain. The Democrats believe it, for they trust their leaders; but Republicans who have regarded Mr. Greeley as a Republican, and who have given any confidence to Cincinnati, will be astounded to learn that he was in effect sold to the Democrats before Cincinnati; that he would undoubtedly have been made a candidate before the regular Democratic convention, if there had been no Cincinnati; and that they are the victims of a bargain carried out by trickery; which will—it grows more and more likely—be consummated at Baltimore.

A LONDON correspondent says it is high time that the Princess of Wales was back in society to teach it how to dress decently.

AT the expiration of his present term of office, Governor Palmer will return to Carlinville.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to day on a new march to victory.

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I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

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GOING NORTH.
5:10 A. M.........................5:00 P. M.

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GOING NORTH.
10.30 A. M.........................3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.
7:25 A. M.........................3:15 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 10 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9--Leaves Decatur.................6:45 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11--Leaves Decatur.................8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West.................2 50 p. m
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Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL. SOUTHERN R. R. Co.,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
CLEVELAND, O., May 29, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Companies, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

S. A. FULLER, Secretary,

June 5, 1872—d-td.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment.
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d1w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D. 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

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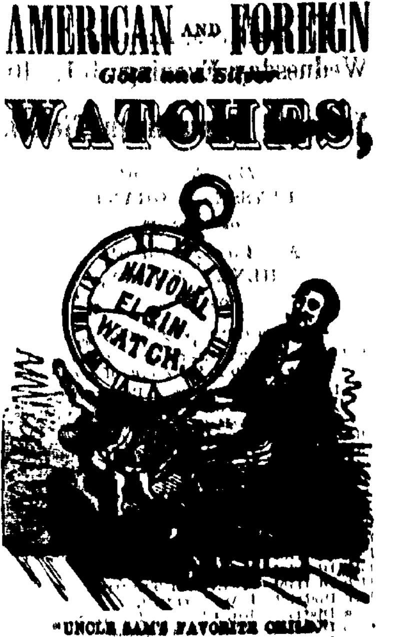

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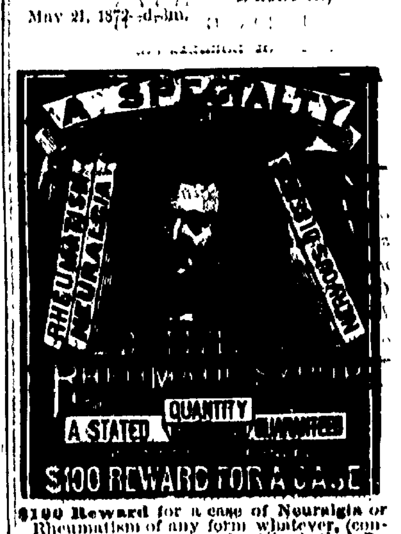

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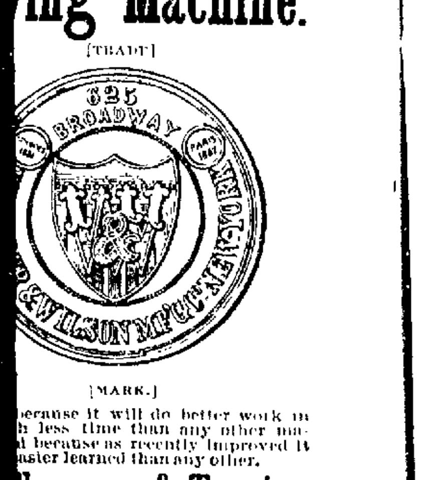
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IMPORTANT POLITICAL HISTORY.

The Bargain of Horatio Seymore and Horace Greeley.

From the Rochester, N. Y., Democrat and Chronicle.

No words are necessary to show tha the ambition of Horace Greeley is great beyond the restraining influences of principle and honor. His present position is proof conclusive of the fact. He is the candidate of a party which he opposed all his life, and he is in open opposition, directly and indirectly, to every principle he has espoused. He is also the candidate of men, claiming to be republicans, who are struggling to ruin the republican party because they cannot rule it. Thus far the people are well informed. How long Mr. Greeley has been an enemy to the party to which he professed to belong, is another question. How long he has acted in secret to accomplish his own elevation at the expense of everything else, is a matter of considerable interest. That he did act in secret to this end, is now very well known; and that his nomination at Cincinnati was not the accident it appeared, but the result of a deep laid scheme has been suspected. Who are the schemers? What was the spot, and where did it begin? We copy this bit of very important and interesting political history from the Binghamton *Republican*, merely remarking that it bears the impress of truth:

We have come in posession of some facts which account in part, if not wholly, for the remarkable and hitherto inexplicable action of the democratic leaders, in endeavoring to force Horace upon their party as its candidate for the presidency. In October of last year, months before the "liberal" republican convention of Missouri began the Cincinnati movement, Mr. Greeley was in conference with a democrat in this State whom we know, on the subject of the presidency; that democrat was hunting for a compromise or a disatisfied republican candidate whom the leaders of his party would endorse; and Mr. Greeley agreed to accept, if nominated. Mr. Greeley wrote a letter to this democrat in reply to one; and this led to conference, at Mr. Greeley's invitation; at which meeting Mr. Greeley agreed to become a candidate if the nomination was tendered him. We have seen Mr. Greeley's letter to which we refered, in in his own well-known hand-writing.

The Cincinnati convention of so-called republicans was then hardly thought of; but we have proof that we deem conclusive of the fact that democratic collusion with some of the delegates of that convention, particularly from this State, led directly to Mr. Greeley's nomination. A prominent democrat of Central New York wrote to a prominent man, hitherto a republican, one of Mr. Greeley's chief friends and advisers, in New York city, only a few days before the Cincinnati convention met, on the subject of the proposed candidacy. The democrat was in favor of Greeley's nomination; and believed that the democratic party of the country could be brought to his support in certain contingencies. The reply to a letter was a reply which pleased and gratified him; it crowned the negotiation; and the result, an understanding of what the democrats were prepared to undertake, was, as we have said, made known to the prominent men in the New York delegation at Cincinnati. The name of the leading democrat we have mentioned is Horatio Seymour; and of the Republican friend of Greeley, Waldo Hutchins. That the negotiation was carried on, we have seen the sufficient and undeniable proof. We have been shown a letter from one of the last named correspondence. Horace Greeley, Waldo Hutchins and Horatio Seymour are the "high contracting parties" to the greatest scandal of American politics. We state the fact of the correspondence on our proper responsibility; and if any one of the persons we have named denies, we will give dates and details, and procure testimony, that they will not be in position to dispute. The statements not contained in the two letters, one of Mr. Greeley, which, by the way, set aside Chase for Democratic use as "broken down"—and the other, signed by one of the three mentioned, are given upon perfectly good authority. There is no longer reason to doubt that there has been a perfect understanding between Greeley and the Democrats for at least eight months past. It was after October last the tone of the *Tribune* became decidedly hostile to the Republican party. It was before the beginning of the year that the change was generally conceded. Readers of that party, who have preserved files of it, will see that between October, 1871, and May, 1872, the *Tribune* was practically a Democratic journal, as it is to-day.

Now let Mr. Greeley, or anybody for him; or Mr. Hutchins, or Mr. Seymour, come forward. People generally have believed Mr. Greeley's nomination the result of a secret bargain. The Democrats believe it, for they trust their leaders; but Republicans who have regarded Mr. Greeley as a Republican, and who have given any confidence to Cincinnati, will be astonded to learn that he was in effect sold to the Democrats before Cincinnati; that he would undoubtedly have been made a candidate before the regular Democratic convention, if there had been no Cincinnati; and that they are the victims of a bargain carried out by trickery; which will—it grows more and more likely—be consummated at Baltimore.

A LONDON correspondent says it is high time that the Princess of Wales was back in society to teach it how to dress decently.

AT the expiration of his present term of office, Governor Palmer will return to Carlinville.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidenty expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustious services of Ulysses S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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"	"	closes at 8 P. M.
Southern	"	arrives at 5:30 A. M.
"	"	closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern	"	arrives at 2:35 P. M.
"	"	closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western	"	arrives at 11:10 P. M.
"	"	closes at 1:35 P. M.

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I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:10 A. M.......................................5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.
5:10 A. M.......................................5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
10:30 A. M.......................................3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.
7:25 A. M.......................................3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. }
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 10 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur............6:45 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 30 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur............8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West	2 50 p. m
" " Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East	8 40 a. m
" " Accom "	3 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL. SOUTHERN R. R. Co., }
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, }
CLEVELAND, O., May 29, 1871. }

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Company, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

S. A. FULLER, Secretary,
June 5, 1872—d-td.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL }
vs. } Attachment.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d1w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D. 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING for Compl'ts,
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW.
OFFICE: Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

JOHN W. SMITH. BRIC. L. STERRETT.
SMITH & STERRETT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 11, 1870-ly

DR. A. S. WALTZ,
SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day but Saturdays. In Blue Mound, at Dr. Sprague's office, every Saturday. Licensed to use Rubber as a base for artificial dentures. Remember, satisfaction guaranteed. [July 9-ly.

C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office over Smiths, Hammer & Co's Bank, south-west corner New Square, Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrand's Drug Store, Decatur, Ills. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smiths Hammer & Co's Bank. [11-dwly.

Woods, Gooding & Co.,
—GENERAL—
Produce Commission Merchants
FOR THE SALE OF
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R. M. WOODS.
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SAMUEL E. MINER.
October 19, 1871—3mos.

LAND FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE 160 acres of Improved Prairie Land, seven miles southeast of Decatur. There is on the place 1½ miles hedge, most of it 2 years old and over. The improvements consist of a story and a half house, stabling for four horses, orchard of 85 trees in bearing.

TERMS—One-third cash, balance in one and two years.

Apply on the premises to
S. M. C. DAVIS.

DISSOLUTION.

THE FIRM OF J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS was dissolved by mutual consent, November 15, 1871. J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS.
Decatur, May 30, 1872—w-6m.

A. C. CORNMAN,
House and Sign
PAINTER,
PAPER-HANGER, ETC.
SHOP over L. M. Gill & Co's grocery store New Square, Decatur, Ill. [feb9,'70.

A New Arrival!
—OF—
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN
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Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen. Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain
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As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold Silver and Plated Chains,
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Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of
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With and without Calender,
AGENT FOR THE
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With French Aeromatic Lense and genuine Brazillian Pebbles.
☞ All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me
Engraved Free of Charge!
Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,
No. 10 Water Street,
DECATUR, ILL.
May 21, 1872-d-6m.

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RHEUMATISM
NEURALGIA
QUANTITY
A STATED
GUARANTEED
$100 REWARD FOR A CASE

$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry treating Rheumatism specially for 30 years.

$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

$450 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1,25 per bottle—six bottles for $6,60. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

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SOLE AGENTS,
Decatur, Ill.
Decatur, April 20, 1872—daw-ly.

ICE CREAM,
*SODA WATER, and
ICE COLD LEMONADE,*
Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at
Miller's Confectionery.
April 26—d-tf.

New Millinery Goods
Spring Styles!
Mrs. R. C. HAMSHER
BEGS LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE to the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that she is in receipt of the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Millinery Goods ever brought to this city, embracing
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Thankful for past favors, she respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.
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One door north of Warren & Durfee.
Decatur, March 28, 1872.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Wednesday Evening, July 10.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

Presidential Electors.
At Large—Henry Greenebaum, of Cook Co.
David T. Linegar, of Alexander.
1st District—Chauncey T. Bowen.
2d District—Lester L. Bond.
3d District—Mahlon D. Ogden.
4th District—Richard L. Divine.
5th District—James Shaw.
6th District—Norman H. Ryan.
7th District—Irus Coy.
8th District—Joseph J. Cassel.
9th District—Wm. Selden Gale.
10th District—W. D. Henderson.
11th District—Moses M. Bane.
12th District—M. H. Chamberlain.
13th District—Hugh Fullerton.
14th District—Martin B. Thompson.
15th District—J. W. Wilkin.
16th District—John P. Van Dorston.
17th District—John H. Yeager.
18th District—John Dougherty.
19th District—William H. Robinson.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.

For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—Horace Greeley.

Republican County Convention

Headquarters Macon County Republican Central Com.,
Decatur, June 11, 1872.

The Republican voters of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a Republican County Convention, to be held at Smith's Opera House in Decatur, on

Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1872 at the hour of 10 a. m., for the following purposes:

1st. To re-organize the County Central Committee.

2nd. To elect delegates to the Republican Senatorial and Representative Conventions.

3rd. To nominate candidates to be voted for at the November election, to fill the following offices, to-wit: Circuit Clerk; Sheriff; County Prosecuting Attorney; Coroner and

4th. For the transaction of such other business as may necessarily come before the Convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for President in 1868, and each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be allowed one delegate for each fifty Republican votes cast, and one delegate for each fraction of over twenty-five votes. Under this rule the following shows the number of delegates to which each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be entitled:

Austin, 1; Blue Mound, 3; Decatur—1st ward, 6; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 5; 4th ward, 4; Friends Creek, 3; Harristown, 1; Hickory, 2; Illini, 2; Long Creek, 2; Macon, 4; Maroa, 4; Milam, 1; Mt. Zion, 2; Niantic, 2; Oakley, 1, Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 3; Whitmore, 3.

E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.
W. C. Johns, Sec'y.

A good story is told on Mr. Greeley which makes his present association with Gratz Brown on the Presidential ticket seem a little curious. In the fall of 1870, before the November election the great and good old man made a tour of the west, and visited Missouri among other States. Brown was at the time running for Governor, and with good prospects of success. When Greeley returned he was met by several Republican friends, who asked respecting the political indications. He gave his opinion of all the States he had visited and finally came to Missouri. "Now," said he, in that squeak so familiar to those who have heard him in his swearing mood, "that d—d little redheaded cuss, Gratz Brown, is going to give that State to the Democrats."

There is nothing so sensitive as the faintest shadow of danger to the great business interests of the nation. The financial pulse always indicates the condition of affairs. Well, how stands the solid commercial strength of the nation towards Gen. Grant? Why, it shows confidence in his ability and integrity and policy. Need more be said?

Henry Rochefort's sentence of penal servitude at New Caledonia has been commuted, it is said, to banishment from France. Victor Hugo is credited with having secured the change.

An Old Acquaintance.—In the Chicago *Tribune's* dispatch from Baltimore we observe the following statement:

Kentucky is unanimous for Greeley, and will favor an endorsement of him by resolution, or by form of a regular nomination, as may be determined best by the States which are the battle ground of the contest. General John S. Williams, U. S. army, called "Cerro Gordo Williams," a Kentuckian of splendid figure and proportions, is Chairman of the delegation.

General John S. Williams is known to very many of our readers, having once—prior to the war—resided near Bement, Piatt county, but people hereabouts will be astonished to learn that he was ever a general in the U. S. army. He did, however, command a brigade or division on the other side of the question during the late unpleasantness, and about the only time he was mentioned in the newspapers was when he distinguished himself by getting whipped most outrageously. Oh, yes! we know "General" John S. Williams, and remember also that he is a man of "splendid figure and proportions," which the same didn't do him any good on a certain memorable occasion in this city, in 1860.

How magnanimous Democrats are becoming! How little they are caring for official honors and emoluments! Greeley for President; Gratz Brown for Vice President; Doolittle for permanant chairman of the Democratic National Convention. It seems as though the old party could no longer find men in its own ranks fit to fill high positions, and is driven to seek them among renegade Republicans. If they had admitted to us that they were scarce of material we might have given them some better stuff than that which they have selected, but as they have been so diffident about the matter we presume they will have to put up with such fellows as we have kicked out.

It is understood that the visit of Col. W. R. Holloway, of Indianapolis, to Decatur yesterday resulted in an arrangement with Gov. Oglesby, whereby the latter is to make a number of speeches in Indiana, and Senator Morton the same number of speeches in this State. Gov. Oglesby's Indiana campaign will open on the 22d inst. We are not advised as to the time when Senator Morton will begin his campaign in Illinois. We are gratified to make this announcement, as the Indiana Senator is one of the most effective speakers we have ever heard, and his speeches in Illinois cannot but be productive of good.

A philological reformer thinks a great deal of language is wasted by profane people. He has prepared tables showing that "occasional" swearers wastes ten per cent. of their conversation; "ordinary" swearers waste from eighteen to twenty per cent., and "habitual," intense swearers waste at last fifty per cent. of their speech. In view of the fact that profanity is such an extravagant habit, would it be wise economy to elect to the Presidency such a notorious swearer as Horace Greeley?

The Jackson *Citizen* gives currency to a rumor that the death of McKean Buchanan, the actor, was produced by poison administered by a Miss Gabriella McKean, who had accepted a professional engagement under him. The motive for the crime, if one was committed, was to obtain a large amount of money in his possession. Buchanan's daughter has caused her father's body to be disinterred for the purpose of a chemical analysis, and if the suspicion prove true Miss McKean will be arrested.

The eloquent and profound McClernand has again been shoved back. He was slaughtered at Baltimore yesterday, to make room for a man named Doolittle, whose political life ended some years ago, but who has again been galvanized into a semblance of consciousness by being made permanent chairman of the National Democratic Convention, a position which McClernand hankered after with his whole soul.

The so-called "National Liberal Executive Committee" meets at New York on Friday (hangman's day) "to take means to "combine the two elements for the support of Greeley, and to secure good management." The latter part of the programme will probably be realized by rallying the thieves and bummers of Gotham, and distributing a few green backs judiciously among them.

President Hammond, of the Ind & Ill Cen. R. R., arrived in the city on Monday, and in connection with Mr. A H. Lazare, who arrived on Saturday, has been inspecting the work on that line, and making arrangements for further operations. We learn that it is the intention to build to the Wabash river first, and then complete the line to Decatur, both of which are to be accomplished by the first of December next. —*Tuscola Journal.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

☞ [Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

BALTIMORE.

The Greeley Ratification Meeting.

DOOLITTLE PERMANENT CHAIRMAN.

THE CINCINNATI PLATFORM ADOPTED.

Greeley Nominated on the First Ballot.

SOME OPPOSITION TO THE WHOLESALE SELLING OUT.

Bayard, of Delaware, Opposes the Scheme.

THE N. Y. WORLD AGAIN DEFINES ITS POSITION.

FROM BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, July 10.—At 9:30 the doors of the Opera House were thrown open, and the people commenced pouring in by hundreds. The streets are crowded, and the weather warmer than yesterday. The delegation arrived at 9:15. The galleries filled with spectators, bands playing. Many delegations held informal conferences this morning, for arranging full understanding as to their action to-day.

It is understood that the trouble in the Pennsylvania delegation has been settled, and it will vote solid for Greeley.

At ten o'clock, Doolittle, Hoffman, and the Pennsylvania delegation, are holding a consultation on the platform, where the Vice Presidents are already seated.

The Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions announced that the committee had adopted the Cincinnati platform. The resolutions are being read amid applause, Delaware, Mississippi, Georgia and Oregon being the only States silent on the question of adopting the Cincinnati platform. Allusions to the 14th, 15th amendments, the one term principle, &c., were received with much applause. A motion was made to adopt the platform. Bayard asked ten minutes to explain. Much confusion insued. Hoffman, in announcing vote of New York, said the delegation was divided, he being among the nays.

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The New York *Tribune's* special says Hon. Van Trump, member of Congress from Ohio, who has heretofore been a strong and persistent opponent of any alliance between the Democratic party and the Liberal Republicans, has announced his intention to support Greeley after the nomination is made to-day. There is now believed to be only one Democratic member of Congress who declares he will in no case support the Cincinnati ticket, and that is J. J. Doris of West Virginia.

The Illinois delegation met and elected Gen. John A. McClernard, permanent chairman of the delegation, and St. Clair Sutherland, secretary. Mr. Fuller produced a letter from W. F. Storey, authorizing him to act in his stead on the national committee. Gen. Phillips denied the power of Storey to appoint, and the delegation proceeded to fill the vacancy. Mr Fuller stated that he was compromised, having already acted with the committee on the strength of the Storey proxy. On motion Mr. Storey's proxy was disallowed, and the delegation proceeded to fill the vacancy. Mr. Fuller explained that he had already acted with the committee on the strength of Storey's proxy, and the delegation for this reason elected Mr. Fuller to fill the vacancy.

The delegation assembled yesterday, and on motion of Hon. W. F. Coolbaugh, the Hon. Cyrus H. McCormick, was unanimously chosen to represent the State of Illinois on the national committee for the next four years.

The New York delegation resolved to cast a soild vote for Greeley and Brown, and also to favor a direct nomination instead of an indorsement.

Baltimore, July 10.—The Baltimore Convention, called by the Democratic party organization to take action for President and Vice President, met yesterday at noon. Every State and Territory was represented by a double delegation. The Convention was permanently organized by the choice of the Hon. J. R. Doolittle, of Wis., as President. After organizing and appointing a committee on resolutions the convention adjourned until this morning, when the Cincinnati nominations and platform will be affirmed.

Baltimore, July 9.—Probably no national convention that has ever assembled in this country appeared to the spectators so utterly devoid of interest as that which met in this city to-day. In Cincinnati there was curiosity to see what would be done, in Philadelphia there was enthusiasm over the doings of what all expected to be done; but here there is neither curiosity nor enthusiasm. Everybody knows what will be done, and those who are to do it take no particular interest in it. It is the common remark of delegates and visitors that it is the dullest National Convention they ever saw.

It is said by a great many to-day that if the anti-Greeley candidates had worked their case well they would have been able to defeat Greeley in the convention, but I do not see how it could have been done. Greeley's friends have been active in every Congressional district since the Cincinnati nominations, and between coaxing and threatening they have managed to carry their point nearly everywhere. It is a fact, however, that Greeley's strength would be much less than it is if it had been known at the start that it was the intention to nominate him here, instead of indorsing him. It is now very plainly felt that as the nominee of this convention, Greeley will get no more votes than would be given to Hancock, Hendricks, or any other Democrat, because he goes before the country as nothing more nor less than a Democratic candidate pledged to a Democratic policy if elected.

FROM NEW YORK.

New York, July 9.—There is trouble among the the magnates of the Greeley headquarters in this city, and some of them threaten to resign. Greeley reports large numbers of letters daily, and personally answers most of them, whether he knows the writers or not. He receives numerous applications for office, and all sorts of propositions to secure the support of the writers, and Greeley sends encouraging answers to them. His managers complain bitterly of this, and some of them say th y will resign unless he turns his letters over to the committee to be dealt with as they think best. One of them said, to-day, any dead beat can write to Greeley and get an answer, and we shall very soon be in trouble of the worst kind, if he keeps it up. Yesterday, a fellow nobody ever heard of wrote a letter to Greeley that he could influence a large Irish vote, and Greeley at once replied, making an appointment for the fellow to meet him.

The *World* insists upon the straight-out nomination of Greeley, and opposes anything like indorsement. It says if Greeley is nominated by the Democratic Convention and elected by Democratic votes, he cannot ignore the Democratic party in organizing his administration. He cannot be smuggled into the Presidency through any such back door. If the Democrats are to vote for Mr. Greeley, it must be under such circumstances that he will be compelled to acknowledge his obligations to the party, and will make him dependent on it for the success of his administration.

The *Evening Post*, commenting on the *World's* remarks, says: Mr Greeley has been the opponent of the Democratic party all his life, a bitter, uncompromising opponent, believing it to be all that for fifty years he has been in the habit of saying it was, and that all good Republicans have agreed with him; they believe that all he has said is as true now as it ever was, and they believe that the success of that party is just as dangerous to the welfare of the country as at former periods, and that the facts in the case are in no wise changed because Greeley has turned his back upon every true word he ever uttered, for the sake of a Democratic nomination, a nomination which, if it is worth anything, is only valuable to Democrats as a last desperate effort to save the party from dissolution.

FOREIGN NEWS.

London, July 9.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* writes that the increasing tide of emigration from Germany to America causes considerable uneasiness to the imperial government. Measures for the repression of this exodus of the subjects of the empire are seriously contemplated.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, July 10.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.23; August, 1.18½.

Corn, weak, heavy, cash 39½; August, 41½; Sept. 42.

Pork, steady, quiet, cash 13.25.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, steady, 25.

Rye, nothing doing.

Barley, nothing doing.

Highwines, quiet 85½.

Hogs, receipts, 3,000; active and 10c higher. Extreme range, 4,00@4.20, bulk of sales of light grades, at 4.10@4.15.

Cattle, very dull, 3,50@5.75.

Sheep, 4.00@5.50.

New York, July 10.—Flour, more active—less offered, 5,90@6.30.

Wheat, held higher, No. 2 Chicago 1.51.

Corn, strong, good inquiry, 62.

Oats, held at 43.

Rye, nominal at 76.

Whiskey, inactive 92.

Pork, quiet, $13.55.

Lard, quiet at 9⅜@9½.

Gold, 13⅞c.

About the liveliest example we have ever seen of whistling to keep up courage, is that shown by the Chicago *Tribune* in its issue of yesterday. In an editorial under the caption of "The Battle Already Won" we find the following refreshing information, among other things of similar nature:

The revolution is not confined to any Section, or State, or parts of States; it is general. It is strong among the people of Vermont; it is decisive in all well balanced States; is sweeping in all the opposition States; and promises, before November, to be overwhelming in all the States. There is no local reason why Greeley should be more popular in Illinois than in Masachusetts, yet the revolution in this State is astounding even to his friends. So general and sweeping is it, that there is not at this time a Congressional District in this State in which the friends of Mr. Greeley do not have the strongest hopes of electing their candidate. Several districts, which in 1868 gave Grant majorities by the thousands, are, at this early day considered safe for Greeley. As to the Electorial vote of this State being given for Greeley, there is no doubt. The Greeley State ticket and a Legislature of Greeley supporters are regarded as certainties.

Throughout the Union, enough is known to render it certain that the following States are hopelesly lost to Grant: Deleware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin California, Nevada, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Florida,—making in all 171 Electoral votes. In addition to these, those who have reason to know have no hesitation of giving him New York by a vote of 50,000 majority, and Pennsylvania by 30,000 and New Jersey by 15,000. These States have 73 Electoral votes. These give him 50 Electoral votes more than is needed for an election.

Gen. Allan Rutherford, Third Auditor of the Treasury, states that the number of Greeley men in North Carolina is so insignificant that they are not worth reckoning as a political power. It appears, he says, as if the people of that State desire anything to beat Greeley. They have no faith in him.

The article from the Binghamton (N. Y.) *Republican*, to which we referred editorially in our issue of yesterday, will be found on the first page of to-day's paper. We invite for it a careful perusal.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE

TO CONTRACTORS!

The undersigned propose to let to the lowest responsible bidder the building of an Iron Bridge across the Sangamon river at Priest's ford, on the Mt. Zion road, 100 feet long by 16 feet wide, stone abutments, with necessary trestle-work and earthworks. The plans and specifications can be seen at the County Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. Bids will be received on each part separately until the 20th day of July, 1872, to one o'clock, p. m., reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

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Com. of Highways, town of Mt. Zion.	A. J. WILLIAMS,
	Com. of Highways, town of Decatur,

JACOB SPANGLER,
A. T. DAVIS,
Committee of Board of Supervisors.
July 9, 1872—d&w-td.

Lost.—On the Fourth of July, between the city and Dewees' pasture, east of town, the top of a patent ice cream freezer. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to Geo. W. Bright, at the post office. [J8-2t*

For Sale, Cheap—Threshing Machine.—I will sell, very cheap, one of A. Gaar & Co's six-horse Separators, and one eight-horse Power, complete, on fair time.—The machine has been in use a short time, but is in good condition.
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Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

[OFFICIAL.]

LAWS

OF THE

UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

[General Nature—No. 84.]

AN ACT to create an additional land district in the State of Kansas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all that portion of the Republican land district in the State of Kansas, lying and being situated west of the first guide-meridian west of the sixth principal meridian be, and hereby is, constituted a new land district, to be called the Northwestern land district.

Sec. 2. That the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, is hereby authorized to appoint a register and a receiver for the said district, who shall discharge like and similar duties, and receive the same amount of compensation allowed to other officers discharging like duties in the other land-offices of said State.

Approved, May 23, 1872.

[General Nature—No. 86.]

AN ACT to regulate criminal practice in the federal courts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in every case where a demurrer is interposed to an indictment, or to any count or counts thereof, or to any information in any court of the United States, and such demurrer shall be overruled by the court, the judgment thereupon shall be respondeat-ouster; and thereupon a trial may be ordered at the same term or a continuance may be ordered as justice may require.

Approved May 23, 1872.

[General Nature—No. 88.]

AN ACT to provide for the abatement or repayment of taxes on distilled spirits in bond, destroyed by casualty.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized, upon the production of satisfactory proof to him of the actual destruction by accidental fire or other casualty, and without any fraud, collusion, or negligence of the owner thereof, of any distilled spirits on which the tax at the time of the destruction of said spirits had not been paid and while the same remained in the custody of any officer of internal revenue in any distillery warehouse or bonded warehouse of the United States, to abate the amount of internal revenue taxes accruing thereon, and to cancel any warehouse bond, or enter satisfaction thereon, in whole or in part, as the case may be; and if such taxes have been collected since the destruction of said spirits, then the Secretary of the Treasury shall refund the same to the owners thereof out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 2. That this act shall take effect in all cases of loss or destruction of distilled spirits as aforesaid which have occurred since the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, *Provided, however,* That when the owners of such distilled spirits, so destroyed as aforesaid, may be indemnified against said tax by a valid claim of insurance, said tax shall not be remitted to the extent of such insurance.

Approved, May 27, 1872.

[General Nature—No. 89.]

AN ACT for the relief of certain officers of the navy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in conformity with and to carry into effect the recommendation and conclusions of the board of officers organized in pursuance of the "Resolution for the relief of certain officers of the navy," approved July first, eighteen hundred and seventy, the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to restore Commodore Joseph F. Green to his original position on the navy list, next below Rear-Admiral Boggs; to promote Commodore John De Camp to his original relative position as a rear-admiral on the retired list; to promote Commodore Charles W. Pickering to the grade of Commodore on the retired list, with the retired pay of his advanced rank; to advance Captain Egbert Thompson in rank next below Captain Thomas G. Corbin; to promote Commander Samuel R. Franklin to take rank next after Commander James S. Thornton; to restore Commander Edward Y. McCauley to his original rank, next after Commander W. D. Whiting; to restore Commanders John H. Russell, A. W. Johnson, P. C. Johnson, John Watters, A. E. K. Benham, Austin Pendergrast, and W. P. McCann, respectively, to their original places on the navy list.

Approved, May 28, 1872.

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For Vice President,
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RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
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OF CASS.

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Republican County Convention

HEADQUARTERS MACON COUNTY
REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COM.,
DECATUR, JUNE 11, 1872.

The Republican voters of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a Republican County Convention, to be held at Smith's Opera House in Decatur, on

SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1872 at the hour of 10 a. m., for the following purposes:

1st. To re-organize the County Central Committee.

2nd. To elect delegates to the Republican Senatorial and Representative Conventions.

3rd. To nominate candidates to be voted for at the November election, to fill the following offices, to-wit: Circuit Clerk; Sheriff; County Prosecuting Attorney; Coroner and

4th. For the transaction of such other business as may necessarily come before the Convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for President in 1868, and each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be allowed one delegate for each fifty Republican votes cast, and one delegate for each fraction of over twenty-five votes. Under this rule the following shows the number of delegates to which each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be entitled:

Austin, 1; Blue Mound, 3; Decatur—1st ward, 6; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 5; 4th ward, 4; Friends Creek, 3; Harristown, 1; Hickory, 4; Illini, 2; Long Creek, 2; Macon, 4; Maroa, 4; Milam, 1; Mt. Zion, 2; Niantic, 2; Oakley, 4, Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 3; Whitmore, 3.

E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.
W. C. JOHNS, Sec'y.

A good story is told on Mr. Greeley which makes his present association with Gratz Brown on the Presidential ticket seem a little curious. In the fall of 1870, before the November election the great and good old man made a tour of the west, and visited Missouri among other States. Brown was at the time running for Governor, and with good prospects of success. When Greeley returned he was met by several Republican friends, who asked respecting the political indications. He gave his opinion of all the States he had visited and finally came to Missouri. "Now," said he, in that squeak so familiar to those who have heard him in his swearing mood, "that d—d little redheaded cuss, Gratz Brown, is going to give that State to the Democrats."

THERE is nothing so sensitive as the faintest shadow of danger to the great business interests of the nation. The financial pulse always indicates the condition of affairs. Well, how stands the solid commercial strength of the nation towards Gen. Grant? Why, it shows confidence in his ability and integrity and policy. Need more be said?

HENRY ROCHEFORT's sentence of penal servitude at New Caledonia has been commuted, it is said, to banishment from France. Victor Hugo is credited with having secured the change.

AN OLD ACQUAINTANCE.—In the Chicago *Tribune's* dispatch from Baltimore we observe the following statement:

Kentucky is unanimous for Greeley, and will favor an endorsement of him by resolution, or by form of a regular nomination, as may be determined best by the States which are the battle ground of the contest. General John S. Williams, U. S. army, called "Cerro Gordo Williams," a Kentuckian of splendid figure and proportions, is Chairman of the delegation.

General John S. Williams is known to very many of our readers, having once—prior to the war—resided near Bement, Piatt county, but people hereabouts will be astonished to learn that he was ever a general in the U. S. army. He did, however, command a brigade or division on the other side of the question during the late unpleasantness, and about the only time he was mentioned in the newspapers was when he distinguished himself by getting whipped most outrageously. Oh, yes! we know "General" John S. Williams, and remember also that he is a man of "splendid figure and proportions," which the same didn't do him any good on a certain memorable occasion in this city, in 1860.

How magnanimous Democrats are becoming! How little they are caring for official honors and emoluments! Greeley for President; Gratz Brown for Vice President; Doolittle for permanant chairman of the Democratic National Convention. It seems as though the old party could no longer find men in its own ranks fit to fill high positions, and is driven to seek them among renegade Republicans. If they had admitted to us that they were scarce of material we might have given them some better stuff than that which they have selected, but as they have been so diffident about the matter we presume they will have to put up with such fellows as we have kicked out.

IT is understood that the visit of Col. W. R. Holloway, of Indianapolis, to Decatur yesterday resulted in an arrangement with Gov. Oglesby, whereby the latter is to make a number of speeches in Indiana, and Senator Morton the same number of speeches in this State. Gov. Oglesby's Indiana campaign will open on the 22d inst. We are not advised as to the time when Senator Morton will begin his campaign in Illinois. We are gratified to make this announcement, as the Indiana Senator is one of the most effective speakers we have ever heard, and his speeches in Illinois cannot but be productive of good.

A philological reformer thinks a great deal of language is wasted by profane people. He has prepared tables showing that "occasional" swearers wastes ten per cent. of their conversation; "ordinary" swearers waste from eighteen to twenty per cent., and "habitual," intense swearers waste at last fifty per cent. of their speech. In view of the fact that profanity is such an extravagant habit, would it be wise economy to elect to the Presidency such a notorious swearer as Horace Greeley?

THE Jackson *Citizen* gives currency to a rumor that the death of McKean Buchanan, the actor, was produced by poison administered by a Miss Gabriella McKean, who had accepted a professional engagement under him. The motive for the crime, if one was committed, was to obtain a large amount of money in his possession. Buchanan's daughter has caused her father's body to be disinterred for the purpose of a chemical analysis, and if the suspicion prove true Miss McKean will be arrested.

THE eloquent and profound McClernand has again been shoved back. He was slaughtered at Baltimore yesterday, to make room for a man named Doolittle, whose political life ended some years ago, but who has again been galvanized into a semblance of consciousness by being made permanent chairman of the National Democratic Convention, a position which McClernand hankered after with his whole soul.

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PRESIDENT HAMMOND, of the Ind & Ill Cen. R. R., arrived in the city on Monday, and in connection with Mr. A H. Lazare, who arrived on Saturday, has been inspecting the work on that line, and making arrangements for further operations. We learn that it is the intention to build to the Wabash river first, and then complete the line to Decatur, both of which are to be accomplished by the first of December next.—*Tuscola Journal.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

BALTIMORE.

The Greeley Ratification Meeting.

DOOLITTLE PERMANENT CHAIRMAN.

THE CINCINNATI PLATFORM ADOPTED.

Greeley Nominated on the First Ballot.

SOME OPPOSITION TO THE WHOLESALE SELLING OUT,

Bayard, of Delaware. Opposes the Scheme.

THE N. Y. WORLD AGAIN DEFINES ITS POSITION.

FROM BALTIMORE.

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BALTIMORE, July 10.—The Democratic committee on resolutions met last night at the Carrolton House, all the States were represented. A. E. Burr, of Connecticut, occupied the chair, and Daniel J. Randall acted as Secretary. The Cincinnati platform having been presented various amendments were proposed, debated and rejected. After a three hours' session, the Cincinnati platform was adopted without any modification whatever, with the following introduction: "The Democratic electors of the United States in national convention assembled, present the following principles already proclaimed at Cincinnati, as essential to just government. All the States voted for the platform as thus prefaced, with the exception of Delaware, Georgia, Mississippi and Oregon.

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The New York *Tribune's* special says Hon. Van Trump, member of Congress from Ohio, who has heretofore been a strong, and persistent opponent of any alliance between the Democratic party and the Liberal Republicans, has announced his intention to support Greeley after the nomination is made to-day. There is now believed to be only one Democratic member of Congress who declares he will in no case support the Cincinnati ticket, and that is J. J. Doris of West Virginia.

The Illinois delegation met and elected Gen. John A. McClernard, permanent chairman of the delegation, and St. Clair Sutherland, secretary. Mr. Fuller produced a letter from W. F. Storey, authorizing him to act in his stead on the national committee. Gen. Phillips denied the power of Storey to appoint, and the delegation proceeded to fill the vacancy. Mr Fuller stated that he was compromised, having already acted with the committee on the strength of the Storey proxy. On motion Mr. Storey's proxy was disallowed, and the delegation proceeded to fill the vacancy. Mr. Fuller explained that he had already acted with the committee on the strength of Storey's proxy, and the delegation for this reason elected Mr. Fuller to fill the vacancy.

The delegation assembled yesterday, and on motion of Hon. W. F. Coolbaugh, the Hon. Cyrus H. McCormick, was unanimously chosen to represent the State of Illinois on the national committee for the next four years.

The New York delegation resolved to cast a soild vote for Greeley and Brown, and also to favor a direct nomination instead of an indorsement.

BALTIMORE, July 10.—The Baltimore Convention, called by the Democratic party organization to take action for President and Vice President, met yesterday at noon. Every State and Territory was represented by a double delegation. The Convention was permanently organized by the choice of the Hon. J. R. Doolittle, of Wis., as President. After organizing and appointing a committee on resolutions the convention adjourned until this morning, when the Cincinnati nominations and platform will be affirmed.

BALTIMORE, July 9.—Probably no national convention that has ever assembled in this country appeared to the spectators so utterly devoid of interest as that which met in this city to-day. In Cincinnati there was curiosity to see what would be done, in Philadelphia there was enthusiasm over the doings of what all expected to be done; but here there is neither curiosity nor enthusiasm. Everybody knows what will be done, and those who are to do it take no particular interest in it. It is the common remark of delegates and visitors that it is the dullest National Convention they ever saw.

It is said by a great many to-day that if the anti-Greeley candidates had worked their case well they would have been able to defeat Greeley in the convention, but I do not see how it could have been done. Greeley's friends have been active in every Congressional district since the Cincinnati nominations, and between coaxing and threatening they have managed to carry their point nearly everywhere. It is a fact, however, that Greeley's strength would be much less than it is if it had been known at the start that it was the intention to nominate him here, instead of indorsing him. It is now very plainly felt that as the nominee of this convention, Greeley will get no more votes than would be given to Hancock, Hendricks, or any other Democrat, because he goes before the country as nothing more nor less than a Democratic candidate pledged to a Democratic policy if elected.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 9.—There is trouble among the the magnates of the Greeley headquarters in this city, and some of them threaten to resign. Greeley reports large numbers of letters daily, and personally answers most of them, whether he knows the writers or not. He receives numerous applications for office, and all sorts of propositions to secure the support of the writers, and Greeley sends encouraging answers to them. His managers complain bitterly of this, and some of them say they will resign unless he turns his letters over to the committee to be dealt with as they think best. One of them said, to-day, any dead beat can write to Greeley and get an answer, and we shall very soon be in trouble of the worst kind, if he keeps it up. Yesterday, a fellow nobody ever heard of wrote a letter to Greeley that he could influence a large Irish vote, and Greeley at once replied, making an appointment for the fellow to meet him.

The *World* insists upon the straight-out nomination of Greeley, and opposes anything like indorsement. It says if Greeley is nominated by the Democratic Convention and elected by Democratic votes, he cannot ignore the Democratic party in organizing his administration. He cannot be smuggled into the Presidency through any such back door. If the Democrats are to vote for Mr. Greeley, it must be under such circumstances that he will be compelled to acknowledge his obligations to the party, and will make him dependent on it for the success of his administration.

The *Evening Post*, commenting on the *World's* remarks, says: Mr Greeley has been the opponent of the Democratic party all his life, a bitter, uncompromising opponent, believing it to be all that for fifty years he has been in the habit of saying it was, and that all good Republicans have agreed with him; they believe that all he has said is as true now as it ever was, and they believe that the success of that party is just as dangerous to the welfare of the country as at former periods, and that the facts in the case are in no wise changed because Greeley has turned his back upon every true word he ever uttered, for the sake of a Democratic nomination, a nomination which, if it is worth anything, is only valuable to Democrats as a last desperate effort to save the party from dissolution.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, July 9.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* writes that the increasing tide of emigration from Germany to America causes considerable uneasiness to the imperial government. Measures for the repression of this exodus of the subjects of the empire are seriously contemplated.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.23; August, 1.18½.

Corn, weak, heavy, cash 39½; August, 41½; Sept. 42.

Pork, steady, quiet, cash 13 25.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, steady, 25.

Rye, nothing doing.

Barley, nothing doing.

Highwines, quiet 85½.

Hogs, receipts, 3,000; active and 10c higher. Extreme range, 4,00@4.20, bulk of sales of light grades, at 4.10@4.15.

Cattle, very dull, 3,50@5.75.

Sheep, 4.00@5.50.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Flour, more active—less offered, 5,90@6.30.

Wheat, held higher, No. 2 Chicago 1.51.

Corn, strong, good inquiry, 62.

Oats, held at 43.

Rye, nominal at 76.

Whiskey, inactive 92.

Pork, quiet, $13.55.

Lard, quiet at 9¼@9½.

Gold. 13⅞c.

ABOUT the liveliest example we have ever seen of whistling to keep up courage, is that shown by the Chicago *Tribune* in its issue of yesterday. In an editorial under the caption of "The Battle Already Won" we find the following refreshing information, among other things of similar nature:

The revolution is not confined to any Section, or State, or parts of States; it is general. It is strong among the people of Vermont; it is decisive in all well balanced States; is sweeping in all the opposition States; and promises, before November, to be overwhelming in all the States. There is no local reason why Greeley should be more popular in Illinois than in Massachusetts, yet the revolution in this State is astounding even to his friends. So general and sweeping is it, that there is not at this time a Congressional District in this State in which the friends of Mr. Greeley do not have the strongest hopes of electing their candidate. Several districts, which in 1868 gave Grant majorities by the thousands, are, at this early day considered safe for Greeley. As to the Electorial vote of this State being given for Greeley, there is no doubt. The Greeley State ticket and a Legislature of Greeley supporters are regarded as certainties.

Throughout the Union, enough is known to render it certain that the following States are hopelessly lost to Grant: Deleware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin California, Nevada, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Florida,—making in all 171 Electoral votes. In addition to these, those who have reason to know have no hesitation of giving him New York by a vote of 50,000 majority, and Pennsylvania by 30,000 and New Jersey by 15,000. These States have 73 Electoral votes. These give him 50 Electoral votes more than is needed for an election.

GEN. ALLAN RUTHERFORD, Third Auditor of the Treasury, states that the number of Greeley men in North Carolina is so insignificant that they are not worth reckoning as a political power. It appears, he says, as if the people of that State desire anything to beat Greeley. They have no faith in him.

THE article from the Binghamton (N. Y.) *Republican*, to which we referred editorially in our issue of yesterday, will be found on the first page of to-day's paper. We invite for it a careful perusal.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE

TO CONTRACTORS!

THE UNDERSIGNED PROPOSE TO LET to the lowest responsible bidder the building of an Iron Bridge across the Sangamon river at Priest's ford, on the Mt. Zion road, 100 feet long by 16 feet wide, stone abutments, with necessary trestle-work and earthworks. The plans and specifications can be seen at the County Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. Bids will be received on each part separately until the 20th day of July, 1872, to one o'clock, p. m., reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

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Com. of Highways, town of Mt. Zion. A. J. WILLIAMS,
Com. of Highways, town of Decatur.
JACOB SPANGLER,
A. T. DAVIS,
Committee of Board of Supervisors.
July 9, 1872—d&w-td.

LOST.—On the Fourth of July, between the city and Dewees' pasture, east of town, the top of a patent ice cream freezer. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to Geo. W. Bright, at the post-office. j8-2t*

FOR SALE, CHEAP—THRESHING MACHINE.—I will sell, very cheap, one of A. Gaar & Co's six-horse Separators, and one eight-horse Power, complete, on fair time.—The machine has been in use a short time, but is in good condition.
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Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

[OFFICIAL.]

LAWS

OF THE

UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 81.]

AN ACT to create an additional land district in the State of Kansas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all that portion of the Republican land district in the State of Kansas, lying and being situated west of the first guide-meridian west of the sixth principal meridian be, and hereby is, constituted a new land district, to be called the Northwestern land district.

SEC. 2. That the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, is hereby authorized to appoint a register and a receiver for the said district, who shall discharge like and similar duties, and receive the same amount of compensation allowed to other officers discharging like duties in the other land-offices of said State.

Approved, May 23, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 86.]

AN ACT to regulate criminal practice in the federal courts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in every case where a demurrer is interposed to an indictment, or to any count or counts thereof, or to any information in any court of the United States, and such demurrer shall be overruled by the court, the judgment thereupon shall be respondent-ouster; and thereupon a trial may be ordered at the same term or a continuance may be ordered as justice may require.

Approved May 23, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE. No. 88.]

AN ACT to provide for the abatement or repayment of taxes on distilled spirits in bond, destroyed by casualty.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized, upon the production of satisfactory proof to him of the actual destruction by accidental fire or other casualty, and without any fraud, collusion, or negligence of the owner thereof, of any distilled spirits on which the tax at the time of the destruction of said spirits had not been paid and while the same remained in the custody of any officer of internal revenue in any distillery warehouse or bonded warehouse of the United States, to abate the amount of internal revenue taxes accruing thereon, and to cancel any warehouse bond, or enter satisfaction thereon, in whole or in part, as the case may be; and if such taxes have been collected since the destruction of said spirits, then the Secretary of the Treasury shall refund the same to the owners thereof out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. That this act shall take effect in all cases of loss or destruction of distilled spirits as aforesaid which have occurred since the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight: *Provided, however,* That when the owners of such distilled spirits, so destroyed as aforesaid, may be indemnified against said tax by a valid claim of insurance, said tax shall not be remitted to the extent of such insurance.

Approved, May 27, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 89.]

AN ACT for the relief of certain officers of the navy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of of America in Congress assembled, That in conformity with and to carry into effect the recommendation and conclusions of the board of officers organized in pursuance of the "Resolution for the relief of certain officers of the navy," approved July first, eighteen hundred and seventy, the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to restore Commodore Joseph F. Green to his original position on the navy list, next below Rear-Admiral Boggs; to promote Commodore John De Camp to his original relative position as a rear-admiral on the retired list; to promote Commodore Charles W. Pickering to the grade of Commodore on the retired list, with the retired pay of his advanced rank; to advance Captain Egbert Thompson in rank next below Captain Thomas G. Corbin; to promote Commander Samuel R. Franklin to take rank next after Commander James S. Thornton; to restore Commander Edward Y. McCauley to his original rank, next after Commander W. D. Whiting; to restore Commanders John H. Russell, A. W. Johnson, P. C. Johnson, John Watters, A. E. K. Benham, Austin Pendergrast, and W. P. McCann, respectively, to their original places on the navy list.

Approved, May 28, 1872.

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MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D. 1872

Lewis F. Houck vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex-parte*.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't.
Decatur, May 20, 1872 -d-td.

LOST!

CONTRACT NO. 3,139, made between the Illinois Central Railroad Company and W. A. Webb, for the sale of three town lots in the town of Macon, county of Macon and State of Illinois has been lost by the undersigned. All persons are hereby warned to refrain from negotiating for the said contract, as the Company has been notified of such loss.

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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

The Daily Republican.

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Wednesday Evening, July 10.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GIVLER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The thermometer stood at 92 deg. in the shade at 11 o'clock.

...This is the last day of the equalization of the city assessment.

...Hon. J. G. Cannon is to address the Republicans of Monticello on Saturday.

...The track-layers on the Paris and Decatur R. R. are within sight of Lovington.

...We had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Col. W. R. Holloway, late of the Indianapolis *Journal.*

...The trains are now well adorned with threshing and reaping machines, destined for different stations along the road.

...Isn't it about time for those who aspire to legislative honors to make the fact public? Remember that the county convention is to take place on the 10th of August.

...They are making rapid progress excavating for the foundation of the new block south of the Opera House. If the weather does not interfere with the work they will be ready to lay the walls next week.

...The little boys have now a chance to study zoology, as illustrated by the enormous posters of the Great Eastern Menagerie, circus, aviary, &c., &c. Opposite the post office is a very large bulletin board which is studied with a great deal of attention by the young generation.

...The outlook for business this fall seems to be a very promising one. Farmers are elated with the better appearance of the crops, than was anticipated several weeks ago, and as prices will probably be no lower than usual, the inference is strong that they ought to make plenty of money. Of course, if the farmers do well, we all do well.

...The fire companies will try their hose and apparatuses again on Friday evening. It is thought that uniforms will be ready for their use by that time. The two companies are well organized, each containing a fine body of men, and well-chosen officers. They all seem to take much pride in their organizations, and wish to make themselves as efficient as possible.

Flies.--If flies could be made a merchantable article, what a vast amount of money could be made this year. They are more numerous than last year, and then the crop was thought to be enormous.—Couldn't some inventive genius study up a means whereby to make them profitable. It would make them very scarce soon—a boon which would call down the thanks of the world generally. We suppose they perform an important function in the carrying out of natural laws; so the savans tell us. But we would like to have them keep out of the butter, refrain from mixing with our tea, alight more gently on our heated cuticle, or keep off altogether. Our disposition naturally is of the sweetest, but when a fly, after having been motioned away for the fifty-seventh time, will persist in making it an even hundred, we— , well, we are not an angel! If they would keep off our person, we might be willing to allow them many other privileges

Fine Jewelry.—Theo. Nelson has aid in a fine stock of Jewelry, which is peculiarly rich and tasty, especially in regard to watch chains, which are splendid. He will warrant his goods to be as he represents them. Go and examine his stock at No 17 East Main street.

Now is the Time.—S. M. Straily, at No. 20 East Main street, is selling his groceries at the very lowest figures for cash. He has superior facilities for buying, and can sell very low. Go and examine his stock, and be convinced.

Picnic.—The Presbyterian Sabbath School are having a picnic to day at the Fair Grounds. The day is a fine one for that purpose, although the grass was rather too wet this morning to enjoy it thoroughly.

W. E. Wilson has constantly on hand a large and varied stock of Books, Stationery, and all other goods in his line Don't fail to see his goods before purchasing. [June 5-tf

FROM MIKE GIMP'S DIARY

FORSYTHE, July 9, 1872.

The Maroaites celebrated the Fourth in grand style. Your correspondent arrived while the procession was marching through town, and sallying forth with pencil and paper in hand, we made the following notes of the day's doings:

Job Race was Marshal in command; following next was a six-pound iron gun, drawn by six horses, and manned by a detachment of veterans of the late war, dressed in uniform, under command of Captain Beatty. The artillery practice was excellent, and showed that the training the boys had acquired in war they had remembered in peace. The gun was purchased in St. Louis.

After the parade we repaired to the place of speaking, which was an immense shed, just east of the hotel, and which it was estimated would hold two thousand people—there were probably three thousand present. The first thing on the programme was the singing of "America," followed by a few remarks from Mr. Andrews, who introduced the Rev. Mr. Whitlock, who returned thanks in an eloquent appeal to the throne of grace, after which Mr. John Crocker read the Declaration of Independence. Mr. Jordan, the orator of the day, then took the stand and delivered an able and eloquent address, giving a general review of the history of the country, from the causes which led to the war of Independence down to the present day. Next came the "Star Spangled Banner," by the choir, the audience joining in the chorus. The Assistant editor of the Decatur *Tribune* then delivered an excellent speech, considering the fact that he was laboring on an empty stomach—something we reckon all editors are guilty of doing occasionally. The next thing in order was dinner, and if everybody didn't get enough to eat, especially that editor, it was certainly their own fault. At 3 o'clock the masqueraders made their appearance on the streets, dressed up in all the god-forsaken rigs one could imagine, and creating a great deal of mirth among the crowd.—The Dolly Varden fellows looked decidedly spicy; following in the rear was one gentleman there was no mistaking, mounted on a tall, poor, long, lank, lean, raw-boned, spindle-shanked specimen of the equine species; with his tail 'histed' to an angle of sixty-four degrees above zero, and sitting astride this noble animal, with an immense white coat and hat.—This humble individual was unceremoniously dubbed 'H. G.' After the parade there was music, singing and speeches till late in the evening. At night there was a grand display of fireworks, and a ball at Tice's Hall. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. We did not hear an angry word, an oath, or any politics; but we heard a young lady remark, as she jumped out of the way of the falling sparks of a rocket, "O, gewhitaker! I swear!" She wasn't our girl, though!

We think the next best thing the citizens of Maroa can do, is to purchase several acres of land adjoining the town, and make a park of it, setting out two or three acres thickly with trees, expressly to hold picnics in. They will find it a decided improvement on their shed—which, by the way, was good—but the expense of building and tearing down sheds, would soon pay for a park, which latter would be a source of pride and benefit to them for all time.

We almost omitted to state that the Macon Cornet Band was in attendance, and discoursed good music throughout the day --but what were the Macon fellows doing?

Farmers are mostly done plowing corn in this part of the country. The crop is not so forward as at this time last year, but it is clean, and making a rapid growth, and presents a fine appearance. Harvest has begun--wheat, oats and flax all ripe at once. The flax will not be more than two-thirds of a crop, having been seriously damaged by rust. Wheat is thin on the ground, but the berry is plump. Oats are splendid, but a good many fields are badly blown down,

The following is the tail-end of an argument we heard the other day, just as disputants parted: "Now," said Hunker, "Why in h--ll, if Mr. Greeley wants us Democrats to vote for him—I say why in h—ll don't Mr. Greeley come over to us, and by h—ll not ask us Democrats to go over to him." "Oh," said Jonathan, "You see old Horace is not that big a fool. You see he's got the salt in his bucket, and if you get any for your keows you have got to go to him for it; don't you see you have?" "Yes, but I'll be cussed if I'll do it."

We had a good shower this afternoon, which will bring the corn along finely.

Horse flies, dog flies, house flies and musquitoes, are rather too numerous to be agreeable, this warm weather.

With plenty of rain there will be a large crop of Irish potatoes in this part of the country. MIKE GIMP.

SUPERVISORS' RECORD.

JULY REGULAR TERM, 1872.
MONDAY, July 8, 1872.

Board of Supervisors of Macon county, sitting for the transaction of county business, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed and approved March 30, 1872, at the Court House in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1872.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present, A. McBride, Chairman, H. W. Waggoner, Clerk, G. M. Wood, Sheriff, and Supervisors Bartlett, Barber, Cameron, Davis, Failing, Gordy, Hatfield, Hummell, Patterson, Rogers, Smith, Spencer, Spangler, Tucker and Ward.

Absent, Supervisors Green and Park.

Minutes of the last day of the June Term were read and approved.

On motion, that the committee on equalization now proceed to examine the Assessors' books, on file in the County Clerk's office, and make a report of their equalization to this Board this afternoon.

On motion of Supervisor Camron, the Board adjourned until half past 1 o'clock, P. M.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, July Term, 1872 }
July 8, 1872. }

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. A. McBride in the chair.

The Committee on Equalization made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Board of Supervisors of Macon County—

Your Committee on Equalization have examined the abstract of the assessment rolls of Macon County, now in the County Clerk's office, would report in favor of an addition to the value of the lands in the following towns, viz:

Town of Blue Mound,	50	per ct added.
" Friends Creek,	20	" "
" Austin,	10	" "
" Maroa,	10	" "
" Illini,	15	" "
" Hickory Point,	10	₩ ct. deducted.
" Mt. Zion,	10	" "
" Long Creek,	15	" "

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. G. CAMRON,
A. T. DAVIS,
D. F. BARBER,
Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Camron, the Board adjourned until the 2d Tuesday in September, 1872.

H. W. WAGGONER, Clerk.

FOR CASH!

From and after this date we will sell goods for *cash and cash only.* We have adopted this system because we desire to save our customers from five to eight per cent. on what they buy.

We have reduced the prices on our goods to a point which will enable any practical person to see the benefits derived from the cash system. Give us a trial.

July 10-tf J. ULLRICH & CO.

The members of the Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee, are requested to meet at the office of W. C. Johns, on Friday, July 12th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Business of importance will be under consideration.

W. C. JOHNS, Sec'y. E. M. MISNER, Chairman.
June10d3t.

Indigo Soap.—This excellent article is fast attaining popularity, and families are finding out that it is the best and cheapest cleansing agent in the market. It does not belong to that class of humbug patented articles with which the country is always flooded, but it is a genuine soap of true merit. For sale by A. H. Imboden, South Main street.

Grant and Wilson Club.—The Executive Committee of the Grant and Wilson Club will meet at the editorial room of the DAILY REPUBLICAN, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as business of interest will come before the committee.

E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 5, 1872.

The markets are very dull.

Grain of all kinds dull and nominal. Corn unchanged. Oats lower and nothing doing. Rye dull, lower, a few sales were made at 35c. Grain quotations have come down generally to the opening prices for the new crop. There is supposed to be enough in store to last until the new crops begin to reach the market, therefore the demand is light.

Cattle market inactive and unchanged.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel .... $	1.45
" White	1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.50
" red	5.00
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings,	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel........	.70
RYE—₩ bushel........	.35
CORN—₩ bushel........	2@.35
" shelled, per bush........	35@.40
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton, ...	9.00@10.00
OATS—₩ bushel	.15
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel........	2.00
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₩ bushel	
BUTTER—₩ lb	.15
EGGS—per doz, ...	.10
LARD—₩ lb	.08
BACON—Sides, ...	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured, ...	.14
SHOULDERS—per lb	.08
HOGS—Live, per hundred, ...	3.25@3.50
CATTLE— " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" sheared, ...	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—Old, per bu........	.75
" New	.50
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	.12½
APPLES— " "	.12½
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine..	30@31
" " course & long.	38@42
" " combing........	40@41
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " course & long	45@50
" " combing........	52@60
" Tubwashed	63@65
" " and picked........	68@70
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	[illegible]@.07
" Salted cured, ...	.8½@.09
" Calf, ...	.12½@.12
" Dry salt........	.12½
" Dry Flint........	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green, ...	2.00@2.25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₩ lb	.25@.40
BEESWAX ₩ lb........	.25
TALLOW— "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed, ...	.02

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Decatur, May 2, 1872 -d-tf.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872

Lewis F. Houck vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex-parte*.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't.
Decatur, May 20, 1872-d-4t.

LOST!

CONTRACT NO. 3,139, made between the Illinois Central Railroad Company and W. A. Webb, for the sale of three town lots in the town of Macon, county of Macon and State of Illinois has been lost by the undersigned. All persons are hereby warned to refrain from negotiating for the said contract, as the Company has been notified of said loss. W. A. WEBB.

July 1, 1872-3w

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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

The Daily Republican.

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We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GIVLER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The thermometer stood at 92 deg. in the shade at 11 o'clock.

...This is the last day of the equalization of the city assessment.

...Hon. J. G. Cannon is to address the Republicans of Monticello on Saturday.

...The track-layers on the Paris and Decatur R. R. are within sight of Lovington.

...We had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Col. W. R. Holloway, late of the Indianapolis *Journal.*

...The trains are now well adorned with threshing and reaping machines, destined for different stations along the road.

...Isn't it about time for those who aspire to legislative honors to make the fact public? Remember that the county convention is to take place on the 10th of August.

...They are making rapid progress excavating for the foundation of the new block south of the Opera House. If the weather does not interfere with the work they will be ready to lay the walls next week.

...The little boys have now a chance to study zoology, as illustrated by the enormous posters of the Great Eastern Menagerie, circus, aviary, &c., &c. Opposite the post office is a very large bulletin board which is studied with a great deal of attention by the young generation.

...The outlook for business this fall seems to be a very promising one. Farmers are elated with the better appearance of the crops, than was anticipated several weeks ago, and as prices will probably be no lower than usual, the inference is strong that they ought to make plenty of money. Of course, if the farmers do well, we all do well.

...The fire companies will try their hose and apparatuses again on Friday evening. It is thought that uniforms will be ready for their use by that time. The two companies are well organized, each containing a fine body of men, and well-chosen officers. They all seem to take much pride in their organizations, and wish to make themselves as efficient as possible.

Flies.—If flies could be made a merchantable article, what a vast amount of money could be made this year. They are more numerous than last year, and then the crop was thought to be enormous.—Couldn't some inventive genius study up a means whereby to make them profitable. It would make them very scarce soon—a boon which would call down the thanks of the world generally. We suppose they perform an important function in the carrying out of natural laws; so the savans tell us. But we would like to have them keep out of the butter, refrain from mixing with our tea, alight more gently on our heated cuticle, or keep off altogether. Our disposition naturally is of the sweetest, but when a fly, after having been motioned away for the fifty-seventh time, will persist in making it an even hundred, we—, well, we are not an angel! If they would keep off our person, we might be willing to allow them many other privileges.

Fine Jewelry.—Theo. Nelson has aid in a fine stock of jewelry, which is peculiarly rich and tasty, especially in regard to watch chains, which are splendid. He will warrant his goods to be as he represents them. Go and examine his stock at No 17 East Main street.

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Picnic.—The Presbyterian Sabbath School are having a picnic to day at the Fair Grounds. The day is a fine one for that purpose, although the grass was rather too wet this morning to enjoy it thoroughly.

W. E. Wilson has constantly on hand a large and varied stock of Books, Stationery, and all other goods in his line Don't fail to see his goods before purchasing. [June 5-tf

FROM MIKE GIMP'S DIARY

FORSYTHE, July 9, 1872.

The Maroaites celebrated the Fourth in grand style. Your correspondent arrived while the procession was marching through town, and sallying forth with pencil and paper in hand, we made the following notes of the day's doings:

Job Race was Marshal in command; following next was a six-pound iron gun, drawn by six horses, and manned by a detachment of veterans of the late war, dressed in uniform, under command of Captain Beatty. The artillery practice was excellent, and showed that the training the boys had acquired in war they had remembered in peace. The gun was purchased in St. Louis.

After the parade we repaired to the place of speaking, which was an immense shed, just east of the hotel, and which it was estimated would hold two thousand people—there were probably three thousand present. The first thing on the programme was the singing of "America," followed by a few remarks from Mr. Andrews, who introduced the Rev. Mr. Whitlock, who returned thanks in an eloquent appeal to the throne of grace, after which Mr. John Crocker read the Declaration of Independence. Mr. Jordan, the orator of the day, then took the stand and delivered an able and eloquent address, giving a general review of the history of the country, from the causes which led to the war of Independence down to the present day. Next came the "Star Spangled Banner," by the choir, the audience joining in the chorus. The Assistant editor of the Decatur *Tribune* then delivered an excellent speech, considering the fact that he was laboring on an empty stomach—something we reckon all editors are guilty of doing occasionally. The next thing in order was dinner, and if everybody didn't get enough to eat, especially that editor, it was certainly their own fault. At 8 o'clock the masqueraders made their appearance on the streets, dressed up in all the god-forsaken rigs one could imagine, and creating a great deal of mirth among the crowd.—The Dolly Varden fellows looked decidedly spicy; following in the rear was one gentleman there was no mistaking, mounted on a tall, poor, long, lank, lean, rawboned, spindle-shanked specimen of the equine species; with his tail 'histed' to an angle of sixty-four degrees above zero, and sitting astride this noble animal, with an immense white coat and hat.—This humble individual was unceremoniously dubbed 'H. G.' After the parade there was music, singing and speeches till late in the evening. At night there was a grand display of fireworks, and a ball at Tice's Hall. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. We did not hear an angry word, an oath, or any politics; but we heard a young lady remark, as she jumped out of the way of the falling sparks of a rocket, "O, gowhitaker! I swear!" She wasn't our girl, though!

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MIKE GIMP.

SUPERVISORS' RECORD.

JULY REGULAR TERM, 1872.

MONDAY, July 8, 1872.

Board of Supervisors of Macon county, sitting for the transaction of county business, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed and approved March 30, 1872, at the Court House in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1872.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present, A. McBride, Chairman, H. W. Waggoner, Clerk, G. M. Wood, Sheriff, and Supervisors Bartlett, Barber, Cameron, Davis, Failing, Gordy, Hatfield, Hummell, Patterson, Rogers, Smith, Spencer, Spangler, Tucker and Ward.

Absent, Supervisors Green and Park.

Minutes of the last day of the June Term were read and approved.

On motion, that the committee on equalization now proceed to examine the Assessors' books, on file in the County Clerk's office, and make a report of their equalization to this Board this afternoon.

On motion of Supervisor Camron, the Board adjourned until half past 1 o'clock, P. M.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, July Term, 1872 }
July 8, 1872. }

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. A. McBride in the chair.

The Committee on Equalization made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Board of Supervisors of Macon County—

Your Committee on Equalization have examined the abstract of the assessment rolls of Macon County, now in the County Clerk's office, would report in favor of an addition to the value of the lands in the following towns, viz:

Town of Blue Mound,	50	per ct added.
" Friends Creek,	20	" "
" Austin,	10	" "
" Maroa,	10	" "
" Illini,	15	" "
" Hickory Point,	10	⅌ ct. deducted.
" Mt. Zion,	10	" "
" Long Creek,	15	" "

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. G. CAMRON,
A. T. DAVIS,
D. F. BARBER,
Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Camron, the Board adjourned until the 2d Tuesday in September, 1872.

H. W. WAGGONER, Clerk.

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The members of the Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee, are requested to meet at the office of W. C. Johns, on Friday, July 12th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Business of importance will be under consideration.

W. C. JOHNS, Sec'y. E. M. MISNER, Chairman.

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E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 5, 1872.

The markets are very dull.

Grain of all kinds dull and nominal. Corn unchanged. Oats lower and nothing doing. Rye dull, lower, a few sales were made at 35c. Grain quotations have come down generally to the opening prices for the new crop. There is supposed to be enough in store to last until the new crops begin to reach the market, therefore the demand is light.

Cattle market inactive and unchanged.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel $	1.45
" White "	1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ⅌ hundred	5.50
" red " "	5.00
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	.70
RYE—⅌ bushel	.35
CORN—⅌ bushel	28@.35
" shelled, per bush	35@.40
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton	9.00@10.00
OATS—⅌ bushel	.15
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—⅌ bushel	
BUTTER—⅌ ℔	.15
EGGS—per doz.	.10
LARD—⅌ ℔	.08
BACON—Sides	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured	.11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	.06
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3.25@4.50
CATTLE— "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—Old, per bu.	.75
" New	.50
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	.12½
APPLES—	.12½
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@31
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@60
" Tubwashed	63@65
" " and picked	66@70
HIDES—Green, ⅌ ℔	.06½@.07
" Salted cured	.8½@.09
" Calf	.12½@.12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.14
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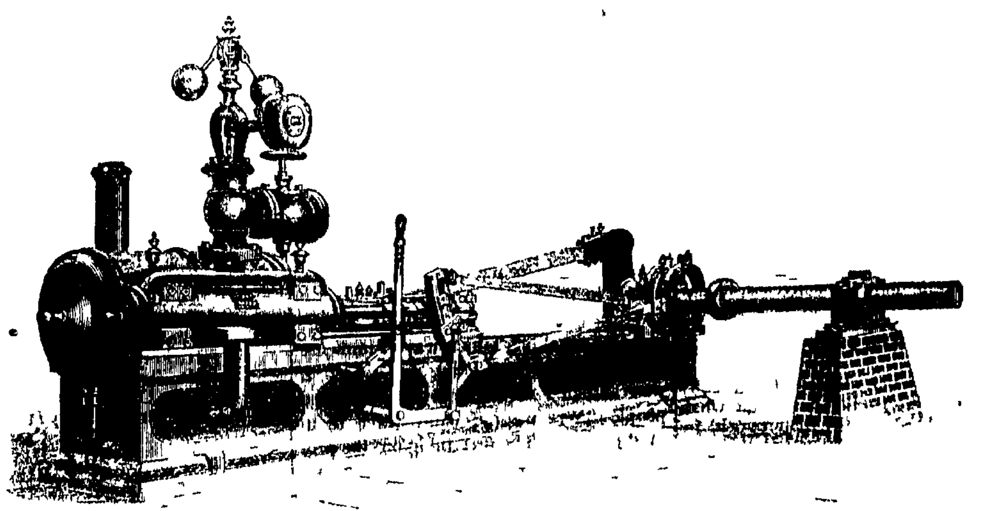

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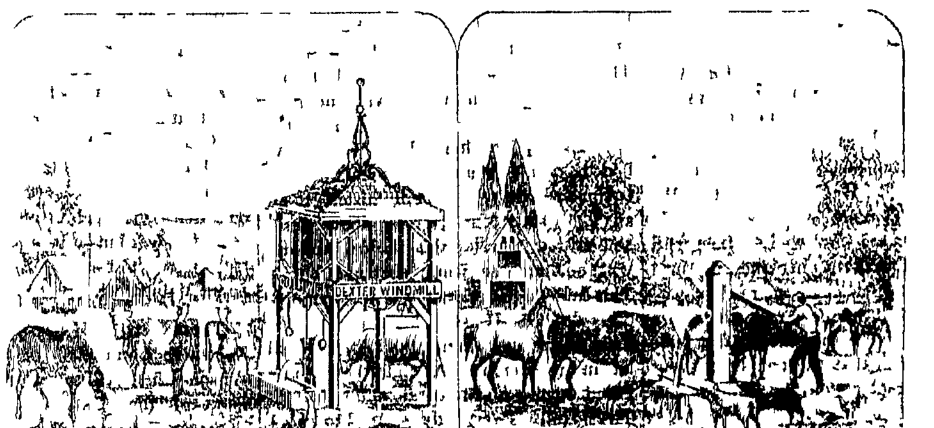

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June 20w

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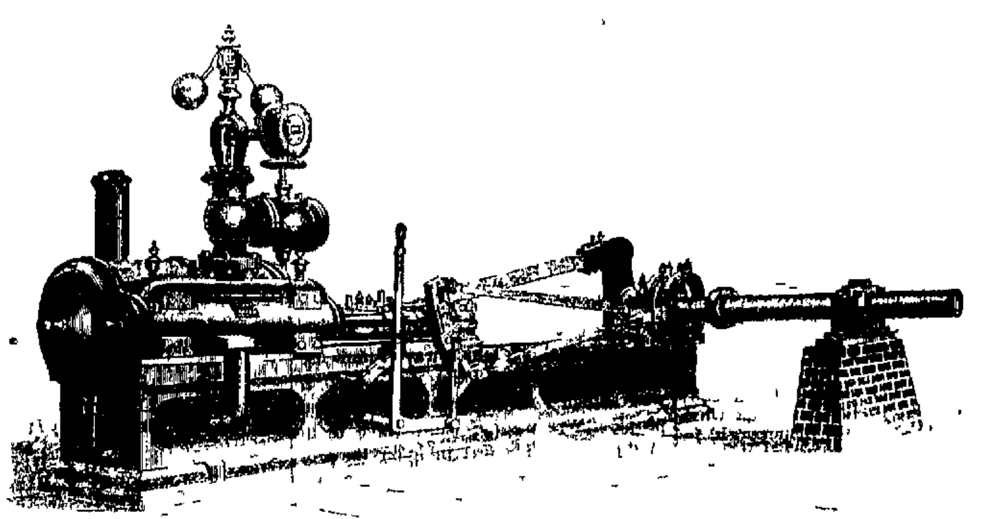

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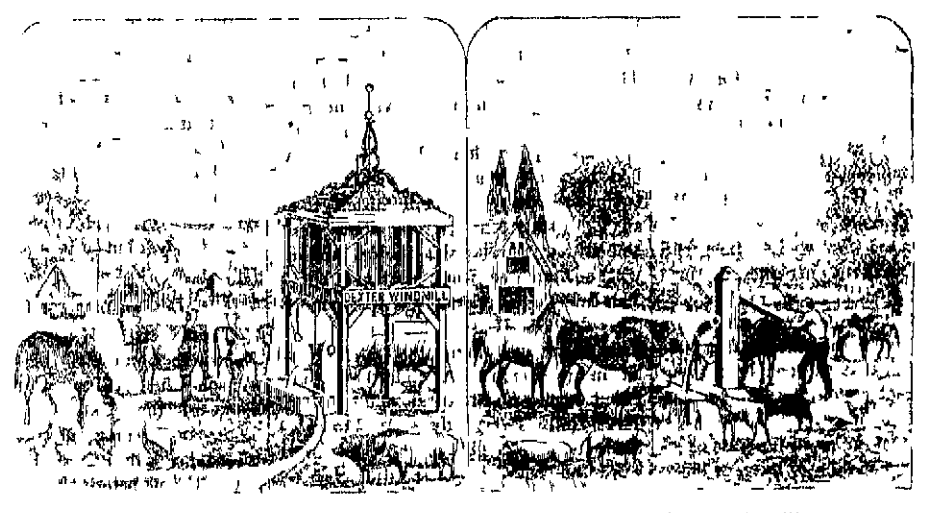

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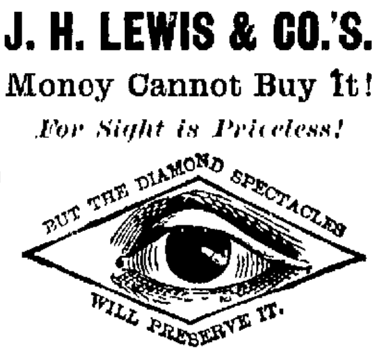

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